



15th & 16th May 2021

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Anniversary Masses

Knockerra Church

Saturday 15th May 8pm

Tess Culligan, Tullagower

Saturday 22nd May 8pm

J.J and Frances O'Dea

James Browne & deceased family members,
Molougha

Killimer Church

Sunday 16th May 11am

Sunday 23rd May 11am

Months Mind:

P.J. Mc Namara, Moneen

New Changes To Mass Attendance

Since Monday 10th May the churches are once again open to the public for Mass on a limited basis.

We are limited to 50 People being present for Mass.

This limit will apply to all Masses, daily and weekend.

Face masks and social distancing will still apply.

We are delighted to be allowed open and will continue to make the churches a safe place for all who attend our services.

Exposition Of Blessed

Sacrament/Reflection/Rosary

As our churches are now open to congregations for Mass, Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, Reflection & Rosary will be available each Wednesday night via Webcam from St. Senan's Church, Kilrush at 8 p.m.

Mass Schedule Change

The new schedule for morning Mass is as follows Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday at 8.55 a.m. each morning in Knockerra Church; Thursday & Friday at 8.55 a.m. in Killimer Church. All masses are available via webcam from each church.

Safeguarding Month

With the good news that our churches are open, safeguarding checks within the parish will take place to ensure and maintain a safe environment. We welcome people back and offer our continued reassurance of our commitment to safeguarding in the parish and diocese.

'Safeguarding is Everybody's Responsibility'

To safeguard those most vulnerable, we all have a part to play. If we have a concern for the safety / wellbeing of anybody, we must report this to the appropriate authority, whether that be, Gardai, HSE, Tusla, GP, Church Authority. The Diocesan Designated Liaison persons are not only available to you for church related concerns but can offer you advice on how to report any concerns in the wider context. Their details are; DLP, Cleo Yates-0873553024, Deputy DLP Joe Searson 085 2535326

60th Anniversary Mass for St. Senan's Church

Many thanks to all who helped in any way to make the Mass last Saturday a very special occasion. Once again thanks to Bishop Fintan for celebrating the Mass for us.

Congratulations

A special congratulations to Tessie Power on receiving the Special Papal Blessing from Bishop Fintan last Saturday, to mark her years of service to our parish.

Online Concert

Concert for nursing homes, day care centres, active retirement groups & individuals.

Online event at 3pm– Thursday 20th May
A partnership between the HSE, Clare Library & Healthy Ireland will deliver an hour-long concert to nursing homes, day care centres & active retirement groups throughout Co. Clare, with singer Patrick Roche. In order to take part, participants will require remote access to Zoom. Please book your place by emailing kilrush@clarelibrary.ie or by calling Kilrush Library on 065 9051504 during branch opening hours. A Healthy Ireland at your Library Event.

Milford Care Centre

Are you interested in learning about grief and loss and how to support the bereaved? Milford Care Centre is offering an online Bereavement Support Education Programme, commencing on Wed 15th Sept 2021 and running over 12 consecutive Wednesdays from 2.30- 4.30pm, with a Personal Development Weekend on 2nd & 3rd October 2021. Fees apply. This programme is aimed at anyone who is interested in learning more about the grief experience and how to support bereaved people in an informal setting. If you would like to participate in this information evening, please register in advance on <https://milfordeducation.ie/> or alternatively, contact Lauren Brochu, Education Department, at l.brochu@milfordcc.ie or 061 485800.



Tax Rebate On Parish Donations

Sincere thanks to all those who have returned their CHY3 form in the past weeks. This will greatly assist the parish in claiming extra money from revenue at no expense to each individual. We make an appeal to all others who received CHY3 forms to return them as soon as possible. All support is greatly appreciated in these challenging times.

Join Accord

We are now recruiting volunteer facilitators. If you have a positive attitude towards marriage in the Catholic Church. If you have the enthusiasm to be part of the Accord team in supporting couples who are preparing for the Sacrament of Marriage– we want to hear from you. Contact Accord at 085-2358384 or email accordennis1@gmail.com before Monday 24th May

Vegetable Growing Workshop

Wednesday 19th May 2021 at 1.30pm, join gardener Frank Bouchier for an online Vegetable Growing Workshop. He will deal with potting on and planting out your vegetable seedlings, soil and site preferences, container growing and growing under cover in a polytunnel or glasshouse. There will be a Q & A at the end of the workshop, where Frank will answer all your queries.

This is a free event, but please note, numbers are limited and booking essential. In order to take part participants will require remote access to Zoom. Book by calling 065 9056034 or emailing kilkee@clarelibrary.ie



Pope's Prayer for Communications

Lord, teach us to move beyond ourselves, and to set out in search of truth.

Teach us to go out and see,
teach us to listen, not to entertain prejudices or draw hasty conclusions.

Teach us to go where no one else will go,
to take the time needed to understand,
to pay attention to the essentials,
not to be distracted by the superfluous,
to distinguish deceptive appearances from the truth.

Grant us the grace to recognise your dwelling places in our world and the honesty needed to tell others what we have seen.